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Laudano et al.) Group Art Unit: 2879
Serial No.: 10/813,289) Confirmation No.: 4538
Filed: March 30, 2004) Examiner: TBA
For: **DISCHARGE LAMP HAVING**
MULTIPLE INTENSITY REGIONS)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth below.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): LAUDANO, et al.

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.

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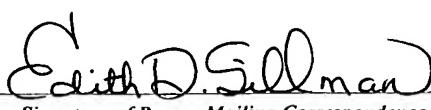
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